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New York, New York July 28, 2000

Hon. Assistant Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

# SUPPLEMENTAL INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §§ 1.56 and 1.97(b), applicants make of record the following documents, copies of which are submitted herewith:

Dognin M. J. et al. "Multiple amino acid substitutions between murine y2a heavy chain Fc regions of Igla and Iglb allotypic forms" Proceedings of the National Academy of Science USA 78, 4031-4035 (1981).

Carrell S. et al. "Subsets of Human Ia-Like Molecules defined by Monoclonal Antibodies" Molecular Immunology 18(5), 403-411 (1981).

Accolla R.S. et al. "Demonstration at the Single-cell level of the existence of distinct clusters of epitopes in two predefined human Ia molecular subsets" European J. Immunology 12, 166-169 (1982).

For the Examiner's convenience, applicants have enclosed a completed Form PTO-1449, listing these documents.

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Applicants respectfully request that the above-cited documents be (1) fully considered by the Examiner during the course of examination of this application and (2) printed on any patent issuing from this application. Applicants request that a copy of the enclosed Form PTO-1449, duly initialed by the Examiner, be forwarded to the undersigned with the next official communication.

Since this Statement is submitted more than three months from the application filing date and after the mailing date of the first Office Action, but before the mailing date of either a final action under 37 C.F.R. § 1.113, or a Notice of Allowance under 37

C.F.R. § 1.311, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of the \$240.00 fee required pursuant to 37 C.F.R. § 1.17(p) to Deposit Account No. 06-1075\*. The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees required in connection with this Information Disclosure Statement to Deposit Account No. 06-1075\*.



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### TRANSMITTAL LETTER

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Transmitted herewith: [ ] a Preliminary Amendment; [ ] a Response to Examiner's Action; [ ] a Supplemental Amendment; [ ] a substitute Specification; [ ] a Declaration; [ ] a Supplemental Declaration; [ ] a Power of Attorney; [ ] an Associate Power of Attorney; [ ] formal drawings; [X] a Supplemental Information Disclosure Statement to be filed in the above-identified patent application [X] Form PTO-1449 and cited documents.

### FEE FOR ADDITIONAL CLAIMS

[X] A fee for additional claims is not required.

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